

1 WRIGHT, FINLAY & ZAK, LLP
2 Dana Jonathon Nitz, Esq. (NBN 50)
3 Yanxiong Li, Esq. (NBN 12807)
4 7785 West Sahara Avenue, Suite 200
5 Las Vegas, NV 89117
6 (702) 475-7964; Fax: (702) 946-1345
7 yli@wrightlegal.net
8 *Attorneys for Defendant/Counterclaimant,*
9 *Golden River Investments, LLC*

10 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
11 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

12 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ex rel.
13 NORMA ARIAS BENITEZ, Relatrix; and
14 NORMA ARIAS BENITEZ,

15 Plaintiffs,

16 vs.

17 GALLIANO, LLC and GOLDEN RIVER
18 INVESTMENTS, LLC d/b/a GOLDEN
19 RIVER REALTY,

20 Defendants.

21

GOLDEN RIVER INVESTMENTS, LLC,

22 Counterclaimant,

23 vs.

24 NORMA ARIAS BENITEZ,

25 Counter-Defendant.
26

Case No.: 2:15-cv-01688-LDG-NJK

JOINT STATUS REPORT

26 The undersigned parties, by and through their respective attorneys of record, stipulate
27 and request a stay of proceedings based on progress made in settlement discussions:
28

1 1. Plaintiff commenced this case on or about September 2, 2015 by filing her False
2 Claims Act Complaint [ECF Nos. 1, 6].

3 2. Based on substantial progress made in settlement discussions, the undersigned
4 parties stipulated to stay all proceedings in this action on February 7, 2019, which this Court
5 approved on February 11, 2019. [ECF Nos. 90, 91].

6 3. The undersigned Parties jointly submit this Status Report pursuant to the Order
7 granting stipulation to temporarily stay case pending settlement [ECF No. 91, at 3:3-5].

8 4. Since filing their stipulation for stay of this case, the undersigned Parties have
9 worked diligently and in good faith to finalize negotiation on essential terms of settlement,
10 reach a resolution in principal and memorialize their agreement in written form.

11 5. Parties have finalized the written agreement and are in the process of procuring
12 signatures and executing same.

13 6. Parties, therefore, request an additional 30 days, up to and including June 12,
14 2019 to file the appropriate pleadings and papers to finally resolve remaining motions, claims
15 and defenses in this action.

16 WRIGHT FINLAY & ZAK, LLP

NEVADA LEGAL SERVICES, INC.

17 /s/ Yanxiong Li, Esq.

/s/ Ron Sung, Esq.

18 Yanxiong Li, Esq.

Ron Sung, Esq.

19 Nevada Bar No. 12807

Nevada Bar No. 13047

7785 W. Sahara Ave., Suite 200

6605 Grand Montecito Pkwy., Suite 200

Las Vegas, NV 89117

Las Vegas, NV 89149

20 Attorney for Golden River Investments, LLC

Attorney for Norma A. Benitez

21 HOWARD & HOWARD ATTORNEYS
22 PLLC

23
24 /s/ Robert Hernquist, Esq.

Robert Hernquist, Esq..

25 Nevada Bar No. 10616

Wells Fargo Tower, Suite 1000

3800 Howard Hughes Parkway

26 Las Vegas, Nevada 89169-5980

27 Attorney for Galliano, LLC

ORDER

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this ___ day of May, 2019.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT JUDGE